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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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## Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	32	Minus	28 =	4 ×	\$50(25)	= \$200.00
Independent claims	8	Minus	4 =	4 ×	\$200(100)	= \$800.00
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$1,000.00

 \* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5. \*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space. \*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space. — This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360 (\$180) has been previously paid \_\_, or is paid herewith \_\_. — This response is being filed within the \_\_ first month, \_\_ second month, \_\_ third month, \_\_ fourth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor, and the fee of \_\_ \$120 (\$60), \_\_ \$450 (\$225), \_\_ \$1,020 (\$510), \_\_ \$1,590 (\$795) for the requisite extension is due and \_\_ paid herewith. X A check in the amount of \$1,000.00 is attached, which covers the cost the additional claims. — Charge \$\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320. X Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-captioned application as

follows.

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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.